ORDINANCE NO. 33

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, DECLARING THE CITY INTENT TO JOIN AND BE ANNEXED TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT; REQUESTING THE CONCURRENCE OF THE LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES; AND REQUESTING THE KING COUNTY COUNCIL TO CALL A SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY ON THE PROPOSITION OF WHETHER THE CITY SHOULD BE ANNEXED TO THE LIBRARY DISTRICT TO THE VOTERS.

WHEREAS, RCW 35.02.130 authorizes the City Council of the City of Shoreline to submit a ballot proposition to the voters of the City to authorize annexation of the City by a library district; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 the process of annexation is initiated by an ordinance of the City Council stating the City's intent to join the library district and finding that the public interest will be served thereby; and

WHEREAS, as the City has no City Library Board, the State Librarian shall be notified of this proposed ordinance pursuant to RCW 27.12.360; and

WHEREAS, if the library district concurs in the annexation, notification thereof shall be transmitted to the King County Council which shall then call a special election to be held in the City at the time and in the manner provided in RCW 27.12.370; NOW THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

- **Section 1.** Declaration of Intent and Finding. The City of Shoreline hereby declares its intent to join and be annexed to the King County Rural Library District. Having reviewed the options for providing library service to the residents of the City, the City Council finds that the public interest will best be served by annexation of the City to the Library District.
- Section 2. Request for Concurrence of Library District, Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360, the City Council requests that the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concur in the proposed annexation of the City to the Library District. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the Board of Trustees of the Library District and to the State Librarian.

Section 3. Transmittal to County Council and Request for Special Election. Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 and 27.12.370, if the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concurs in the annexation, the City Clerk is authorized and directed to notify, and to send a certified copy of this ordinance and a copy of the Library District's concurrence, to the King County Council. The King County Council is requested to call by resolution a special election to be held in the City of Shoreline on September 19, 1995, for concurrence, to the King County Council. The King County Council is requested to call by resolution a special election to be held in the City of Shoreline on September 19, 1995, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City the proposition of whether the City should annex to the King County Rural Library District. The King County Council is also requested to give notice of the election as provided in RCW 29.27.080. The proposition to be submitted at the special election shall be in the form of a ballot title as follows:

PROPOSITION

ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT

Rural Library District?		
YES		•
NO		•

Shall the City of Shoreline be annexed to and be a part of the King County

Section 4. <u>Annexation</u>. If a majority of persons voting on the annexation proposition vote in favor of annexation, then the City of Shoreline shall be annexed to and constitute a part of the King County Rural Library District effective January 1, 1997.

Section 5. <u>Effective Date and Publication</u>. A summary of this ordinance consisting of its title shall be published in the official newspaper of the City. Pursuant to the authorization for submission of ballot propositions set forth in RCW 35.02.130, this ordinance shall take effect five days after its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JULY 17,1995

Mayor Connie King

ATTEST:

Marie K. O'Connell, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Timothy X. Sullivan, Interim City Attorney

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